

MISSISSIPPI WRITING AT ITS BEST

All programs are *free*, and will begin at 12:00pm

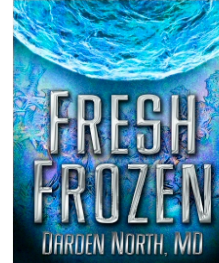
in the Meeting Room, Eudora Welty Library,

300 North State Street, Jackson MS 39201.

Light refreshment will be served. If you wish, please bring a sack lunch

SEPTEMBER 23rd

Jackson/Hinds Library System Presents **DARDEN HAYS NORTH**



DARDEN NORTH, MD, has written three medical mysteries, *HOUSE CALL* (published 2005; A Finalist, Mystery/Suspense 2008 Next Generation Indie Book Awards), *POINTS OF ORIGIN* (published 2006; Third Place, Southern Fiction 2007 Independent Publisher (IPPG) Book Awards) and his latest novel, *FRESH FROZEN* (published 2008; the 2009 National Indie Excellence Awards -- Winner, Best Cover Design and Finalist, Regional Fiction; the 2009 San Francisco Book Festival – Honorable Mention in General Fiction; 2009 New Generation Indie Book Awards -- Finalist, Best Cover Design Fiction and Finalist, Regional Fiction.) Whilst at the University of Mississippi North served as editor-in-chief of the 1978 *Ole Miss*, the student yearbook, his senior year. That publication earned the Graphic Art Awards Competition from Printing Industries of America. During Dr. North's senior year of internship-residency at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, he served as editor-in-chief of the 1986 *Medic*, the medical school yearbook. Dr. North is a practicing obstetrician-gynecologist in Jackson, MS, which according to one critic, “..lends unmistakable authenticity to his medical thrillers.”

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